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## SENSATION MAY BE SPRUNG AT EXTRA SESSION CONGRESS

Washington, Jan. 25.—It is confidently believed that there will be a determined struggle at the extra session of congress this spring for the revision of the rules of both houses of congress.

The fight in the house will probably be confined to a revision of the rules. In the senate the reform will look to the complete revising of the committee and establishing a new system of distributing committee assignments.

The insurgents in the senate propose when the senatorial conference meets for the purpose of taking action toward the reorganization of the committee list, to drop in a bomb in the form of a resolution which will revolutionize things if it takes root and is adopted. It will provide, probably, that no senator may be a member of both the finance and appropriations committees; that no republican senator may be a member of more than one committee which handles one of the great appropriation bills. This would include appropriations, military, naval, judiciary, agriculture, commerce, Indian affairs and pensions.

That no republican senator may be a member of more than two of the second class committees, of which a list will be specified by name being carefully prepared with reference to their importance and the work they will have to do.

That no republican senator may be a member of more than three of the third rank committees, which the resolution will also specify.

This measure, should it be adopted, will have the effect of making about forty-five vacancies in the important committees of the senate. These would have to be filled by appointments to the senators who are now without important assignments. The veterans at the top would have to be demoted to places on the unimportant committees, like revolutionary claims, while the lesser luminaries would step into their places of power on the big committees.

A measure like the one proposed, should it be adopted, would have a startling effect on the distribution of power, influence and work in the senate. At present the little group of veterans who have traditionally controlled the business of making committees, and have regularly given themselves most of the power and hard work, run the senate by reason of running the committees, exactly as the speaker's cabinet is composed of the men to whom he gives the great chairmanships.

Although the system now in vogue has been disapproved for some time, concerted action has never been taken in view to a reform of the rules and methods of procedure. The insurgents, however, are now becoming organized and getting more powerful, and have a working force of eighteen senators who will be in the body after March 4, next, who will stand together, in favor of a general reform. They do not mean to be deterred or sidetracked in their purposes, as they have heretofore, but will "stick together," as one of the group puts it.

There are a considerable number of members who are regarded as pretty certain to join the force of the insurgents; among them will probably be La Follette, Smith of Michigan, Brown, Burdett, Cummins, Borah, Bourne, Warner, Dixon, Flint, Gamble and Beveridge. The incoming men calculated to join the movement are Crawford of South Dakota, Bristow of Kansas, Jones of Washington, Burton of Ohio, and Marshall of North Dakota.

The reform party entertain the hopes of bringing to their cause senators representing the states where the reform movement has become powerful, and having colleagues who are strong at home because of their rank as representatives of the new movement, are looked upon as certain to feel a strong pressure of public sentiment from their constituents.

to line them up with the new movement.

In hopes of allying the people at large to their sentiment, the insurgent senators propose writing magazine and newspaper articles, delivering speeches, utilize the opportunities of the political platform, and present to the people an analysis of the present make-up of the senate committees. They propose to show the senate committees, which are best evidence of the favoritism which governs the distribution of the seats of power. Not only does a small group of senators control the best assignments, but it is charged by the western men that the east, because it has the greater number of veteran senators, gets a great deal more importance than any other section of the country, and wields a power entirely disproportionate to its population or importance.

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## CUT OUT MINING TRUSTEES

OBJECTION RAISED TO THEIR RE-TENTION BY MEMBER OF CHOCTAW DELEGATION.

Washington, Jan. 25.—Some time ago there was a rumor that a protest had been filed against the mining trustees of the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations, Hampton Willis and Hampton Tucker at the department of the interior. No one was willing to state from whom the protest came, but in the discussion of the bill to wind up some of the affairs of the five civilized tribes it developed that Dr. E. N. Wright, a member of the Choctaw delegation representing the Choctaw council, objected to the retention of the mining trustees to sell the segregated coal lands, and he succeeded in eliminating this provision from the bill. This shows that there is friction between the Choctaw delegation and the mining trustees who are Indians, that is likely to lead to complications.

Since the delegation has opposed naming the mining trustees to sell the coal lands, it is rumored that an effort will be made to cut out of the Indian appropriation bill, and all other bills, the allowance made to pay the Choctaw delegation, or any other delegations representing Indians other than their regular salaried officials.

The result of the opposition of the Choctaw delegates to the mining trustees caused the Oklahoma delegation and Secretary Garfield to leave out any reference as to who shall conduct the sale of the segregated lands. It will probably result in the appointment of a commission by the secretary of the interior when the time comes.

Commissioner J. George Wright, and Secretary Garfield, showed the necessity of continuing the mining trustees of the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations under the present regime, and upon their showing the appropriation bill carries the appropriation for their salaries at \$4,000 per year each in the regular bill.

**Another Rough Rider Lost Out.**  
Washington, Jan. 25.—The post office department has ordered the post office at Eschite discontinued and a new post office established at Granfield. The president has appointed A. D. Chapman to be postmaster at Granfield. Eschite is two miles from Granfield, and the latter had no post office and a population of over 800. C. W. Ray of Granfield, a Spanish-American war veteran who lost his arm in the Philippines and who did some hard work to get the office located at Granfield, was an applicant for the post office, but the state organization had already endorsed Chapman and refused to reconsider the endorsement.

## Instructions for Operating Street Cars.

Beginning Saturday, January 23, trip sheets must be kept for every trip that cars are made over the lines of the Ardmore Traction company, whether passengers are carried or not, or whether the trip is special for construction work, or for any other purpose.

All trips must show from initial point of starting the distance run before starting back. This data is necessary for computing the car mileage at the end of the year, which must be included in the company's reports.

Trip sheets must also show the number of trips, time of starting at each end, car number, cash fares, tickets and transfers.

The practice of allowing the cars to run without the motorman at the controller while fares are being collected must positively be discontinued at once, and under no circumstances will it be tolerated. Where there is no conductor on the car, the motorman will stop his car to collect fares.

Also the practice of allowing persons other than the motorman to run the car must be discontinued. The motorman in charge is held responsible for the safe operation of the car, and must not surrender his controller to anyone without written instructions from the office except the officials of the road from whom he receives instructions.

Gongs must be rung at all public crossings, and all other places where safety would demand that the public be given warning of the approach of the car.

Five minutes before the first car goes out in the morning, the conductor in charge of same, or in the event there is no conductor, the motorman, must call up the power company by telephone and notify them to turn on the current, and immediately after the last car is turned in for the night the conductor, or in the event there is no conductor, the motorman, must call up the power company by phone and notify them to turn off the current.

All fares must be rung up on the register as collected and the register reading must be noted on the trip sheets at the end of each half trip.

The strict enforcement of the Jim Crow provisions for the state of Oklahoma is hereby commanded. Colored people are to load on the front end of the car and white people on the rear seats. The sign indicating the dividing line of the two races must be moved at the end of each trip.

Other instructions will be given as occasion demands.

Under no condition is any person under the age of 18 years of age to be employed either in operating the car, or otherwise.

Beginning Saturday, January 23, a schedule of 30 minutes between the Union depot and the north boundary line of the city will be maintained. The cars leaving the depot on the even and half hour and the north boundary line at 15 and 45 minutes after the hour.

Neither the motorman nor conductor when operating the car will be allowed to engage in conversation with passengers other than pertains to their duties as such.

The cars are operated in the interest of the public and the owners, and it is the duty of the conductor and motorman to offer the public every courtesy and favor consistent with the successful operation of the car.

The face of the register must account for every passenger on the car. Directors and officers of the company, and other persons who may be legally entitled to free transportation, will be provided with tickets, and in the event they are unable to present them will be required to pay cash fare. Should these complimentary tickets be offered for transportation by any party other than the persons entitled to them they will be taken up and returned to the office.

Police men and firemen, while in uniform, will be allowed to ride free without presentation of tickets.

Employees of the company will be presented with badges which upon being worn in a conspicuous place, will entitle them to free transportation. Until such badges are provided, employees known by the conductor will be allowed to ride free.

The provisions of these instructions relating to pass books will take effect Monday, January 25, 1909.

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Washington, Jan. 25.—The five tribes bill of this session, if it ever becomes a law, carries a joker in it for the national councils of the five civilized tribes. It provides that there shall be no more meetings of the councils except when called by the secretary of the interior. This will wipe out the last vestige of tribal organization.

Indian council meetings are expensive, and they accomplish nothing. No act is valid or of effect whatever unless approved by the secretary of the interior, and he can transact the business of the tribes as well without the councils as with them. For instance, there are 150 members of the Creek council and they meet for thirty days each year at a total cost of \$18,000 per annum. It is said, too, that the government may go further and dispense with some if not all the Indian chiefs.

## EX-SHERIFF ARRESTED.

Second Session Arises in Trial of Carmack's Alleged Slayer.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 24.—The session in the trial of Colonel Duncan H. Cooper, his son, Robin Cooper, and ex-Sheriff John B. Sharpe for the slaying of ex-Senator B. W. Carmack, was sprung by the state this afternoon when it caused the arrest on a charge of perjury of ex-Sheriff Thomas E. Cartwright. The warrant was issued on the affidavit of Attorney General Jeff McCarren before Justice of the Peace Levine. Cartwright was one of the first men on the panel and during his examination he swore he had no opinion and no prejudice for or against the defendants. The state charges that Cartwright has openly expressed the opinion that the defendants should be acquitted. Judge Hart, whose illness prevented a decision today as to the competence of Juror Leigh, charged with intoxication, was better tonight and will settle the charge Monday when the trial will be renewed. He is suffering from indigestion.

**Notice For Publication.**  
State of Oklahoma, County of Carter.  
Before S. H. REXROAT, Justice of the Peace, in and for Hewitt Township: Jackson & Jackson, Plaintiffs vs. Joe Shaw, Defendant, No. 34.

You are hereby notified that Jackson & Jackson, plaintiffs, have this day filed suit against Joe Shaw for the sum of \$143.00 and all costs of said action, and warn said defendant that on February 22, 1909, on his failure to answer, will take judgment against him for said amount and costs of suit.

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S. H. REXROAT, Justice of the Peace.

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